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Director of Security

Attendance of USIA Personnel at Basic Intelligence Course

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REFERENCE: Memo from Security Officer/OTR to Chief, SCS dtd 18 Oct 54 -  
Subject: Request for Security Concurrence - IAC Personnel

1. The reference requested the concurrence of this Office in the attendance of three employees of USIA in the BIC(I)#3 beginning 1 November 1954.

2. This Office from a security standpoint has no objections to the subject employees of USIA attending this course. This Office, however, wishes it understood that this approval is not to be considered a precedent. Previously, with the single exception of NSA, attendance of outside individuals at CIA courses has been limited to IAC personnel. [REDACTED] on 25 October 1954 informed [REDACTED] of this Office that the USIA is not an IAC member. It is suggested that your Office may wish to clarify the policy question with respect to non-IAC personnel attending intelligence courses given by CIA.

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FOR THE DIRECTOR OF SECURITY:

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Chief, Security Control Staff/SC

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